

From: City of Rockford Human Services Dept.
Community Services Division

**RE:** LIHEAP updates/schedules

**Date:** <u>January 3, 2013</u>

## The attached information is subject to change

- The next call in date to make an appointment for LIHEAP assistance is Tuesday, January 8; when slots are filled, next date will be February 5
- Please note that our office at 555 N. Court St, 3<sup>rd</sup> floor has been added to the site lists for Rockford residents only.
- If you are a <u>Rockford resident</u> who is currently <u>disconnected</u>, you can be seen in our office as a walk-in. See page 4 for the eligibility criteria and document requirements or call 815-987-5711 option 2 for more information.
- Please be advised that the PIPP (Percentage of Income Payment Plan) option is no longer available for the rest of this season.
- Liberty Baptist is no longer participating as a site

Please keep in mind that there are a limited number of appointments available. Applicants will be seen on a first-come first-served basis until funding is exhausted. Applicants must bring all required documentation to their visit.

Reminder: Applying for assistance does not guarantee you will receive assistance.

See attached sites and requirements

SENIORS AND DISABLED	Households must contain a member who is elderly (age 60 and above) or, if resident is under 60 and disabled, must bring in proof of social security disability benefits or benefits pending.  Must meet income guidelines
City of Rockford Human Services Dept. Community Services Division 555 N. Court St., Third floor Rockford 815-987-5711 Rockford residents only	Winnebago County Fairgrounds 500 W. 1st St., Pecatonica 815-239-1641 Includes Durand, Pecatonica, Village of Winnebago, Loves Park and Machesney Park only
Salvation Army 416 S. Madison St., Rockford 815-972-1135 Rockford residents only	Boone County Council on Aging (Keen Age Center) 2141 Henry Luckow Lane, Belvidere 815-544-9893 Seniors Only, English and Spanish Available Boone County Residents Only
Booker Washington Center 524 Kent St. Rockford 815-962-9117 Rockford residents only	United Way of Boone County 220 W. Locust St., Belvidere 815-544-3144 English only, Boone County and Cherry Valley Residents Only
Northwestern Illinois Area Agency on Aging (NIAAA) 1111 S. Alpine Rd. Suite 600, Rockford 779-221-3722 Seniors Only, English and Spanish Available Lifescape Community Services	ALERTA 1235 Logan Ave, Belvidere 815-547-3800 English and Spanish available Boone County residents only  Rockton Township
705 Kilburn Ave., Rockford 815-963-1609 <b>Seniors Only</b> , English and Spanish Available	1315 N. Blackhawk Blvd., Rockton 815-624-7788 Roscoe, Rockton, S. Beloit, Loves Park and Machesney Park residents only

DISCONNECTED  HOUSEHOLDS  * THOSE WITH  CHILDREN UNDER 5	Child must still be 4 yrs. on date of application; must prove age with birth certificate or Medicaid card with birthdate  Must meet income guidelines
Booker Washington Center	ALERTA
524 Kent St. Rockford	1235 Logan Ave, Belvidere
815-962-9117	815-547-3800
Rockford residents only	English & Spanish available; Boone County Residents Only
Salvation Army	United Way of Boone County
416 S. Madison St., Rockford	220 W. Locust St., Belvidere
815-972-1135	815-544-3144
Rockford residents only	Boone County and Cherry Valley Residents Only
City of Rockford Human Services Dept.	Rockton Township
Community Services Division	1315 N. Blackhawk Blvd., Rockton
555 N. Court St., Third floor Rockford	815-624-7788
815-987-5711 Rockford Residents only	Roscoe, Rockton, S. Beloit, Loves Park and Machesney Park
(Disconnected only may walk in at this site-	residents only
call for details)	
Winnebago County Fairgrounds	
500 W. 1st St., Pecatonica	
815-239-1641	
Durand, Pecatonica, Village of Winnebago,	
Loves Park and Machesney Park residents only	

GENERAL PUBLIC	Must meet income guidelines
Booker Washington Center	ALERTA
524 Kent St. Rockford	1235 Logan Ave, Belvidere
815-962-9117	815-547-3800
Rockford residents only	English & Spanish available/Boone County Residents Only
Salvation Army	United Way of Boone County
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Includes Durand, Pecatonica, Village of	
Winnebago, Loves Park and Machesney	
Park residents	

## LIHEAP INFORMATION FOR 2012 - 2013

## NEEDED DOCUMENTATION FOR APPLICANTS

- State photo ID, i.e. Driver's License or Illinois State ID
- Proof of gross income from all household members 18 years and older for the 30-day period prior to the application date
- A copy of current heat and electric bills, both front and back, that includes name and address, issued within the last 30 days (if they pay for their energy directly)
- If utilities are included in rent, a copy of rental agreement showing that utilities are included, the monthly rental amount and landlord contact information.
- Proof of Social Security numbers for all household members. If using a Social Security Card, it cannot be a copy. We will accept a print out from the Social Security office dated within the last 90 days. Birth certificates will be accepted in place of Social Security Cards for children under the age of 1 year.
- Proof that the household received TANF or other benefits, such as Medical Eligibility or SNAP, if receiving assistance from the Illinois Department of Human Services.
- If applying during the seniors and disabled sign up period, households must contain a member who is elderly (age 60 and above), or, if resident is under 60 and disabled, must bring in proof of social security disability benefits or benefits pending.
- If applying during the households with child(ren) under 5 sign up period, child must still be 4 yrs. on date of application; must prove age with birth certificate or Medicaid card with birthdate.
- In specific circumstances, additional documents may be requested.

## INCOME REQUIREMENTS

Household	Total household
Size	30 day income
	no more than:
1	\$1,396
2	\$1,891
3	\$2,386
4	\$2,881
5	\$3,376
6	\$3,871
7	\$4,366
8	\$4,861
9	\$5,356
10	\$5,851